

PUBLIC SERVICES – Department for Women, Children, Disabled & Senior Citizens – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Project Pargi, Rangareddy District under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules 1991 – Article of charges issued - Inquiry conducted - Further action dropped – Orders – Issued

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## DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DISABLED AND SENIOR CITIZENS (ESTT)

## G.O.Rt.No.145,

<u>Dated:06-06-2016</u>. <u>Read the following:</u>-

Ref:-

- 1. From the Director, WD & CW, A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.No.5943/vig-1/2005, dated 07.08.2010.
- 2. G.O.Rt.No.163, Department for WCD & SC [Estt.A2], dated: 08.05.2013.
- 3. G.O.Rt.No.98, Department for WCD&SC [Estt.], dated:08.04.2015.
- 4. From the COI, G.A.[COI-AS] Dept., Government of Telangana, D.O.Lr.No.72/COI.AS/2014, dt:7.11.15.
- 5. From the Director, WD & CW, T.S., Hyderabad, Lr.No.5943/vig-1/2005, dated 16.04.2016.

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## **ORDER:-**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Director, Women Development and Child Welfare, has stated that basing on the V&E Appraisal Report No.12, dated 25.04.2001 and instructions of the Government the following charges were framed and issued against Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Pargi, Rangareddy District under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules 1991 along with five others on certain irregularities committed in construction of Anganwadi Centres in Ranga Reddy District in violation of Conduct Rules:

Article No.1: That Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Project, Pargi and present CDPO, ICDS Project Hyderabad (U) III, while working as CDPO, ICDS Pargi, Rangareddy District, she is responsible for making payment on valuation certificate issued by the Assistant Engineer concerned and excess payment of Rs.1000/- to 39,000/- noticed in respect of center buildings reported to have been completed even though buildings were not completed in connection with the construction of Anganwadi Centre buildings in Pari ICDS Project, hence, the Charged.

Article No.2: That Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Project pargi and present CDPO, ICDS Project Hyderabad (U) III, while working as CDPO, ICDS Pargi, Rangareddy District, she is responsible for not maintaining of Resolution books by the Supervisor of Mother's Committees concerned and not recording the measurements in M.Books before releasing payment for execution of work and failed in supervision and administrative control over the supervisors. Hence the charged.

<u>Article No.3</u>: That Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Project, Pargi and present CDPO, ICDS Project Hyderabad (U) III, while working as CDPO, ICDS Project, Pargi, Rangareddy District, she is responsible for not maintaining of cash books up to date by the Supervisor of Mother's Committees concerned. Hence the charged.

Article No.4: That Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Project, Pargi and present CDPO, ICDS Project Hyderabad (U) III, while working as CDPO, ICDS Project Pargi, Rangareddy District. She has allowed the execution of works through contractor and reported the progress and utilization in a routine manner based on the reports of Supervisors without proper verification and without any periodical / random inspection, which resulted in excess payment, incomplete and substandard execution of works, (as per details mentioned in the statement enclosed to the V&E report). Indeed it is all in contravention of guidelines issued in G.O.Ms.No.65, WDCW&DW, Department, dated.20.10.1998. She also failed in obtaining expenditure particulars and obtain utilization certificates to monitor releases and to appraise the progress of construction to higher authorities. Hence, the charged.

Article No.5: That Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Project pargi and present CDPO, ICDS Project Hyderabad (U) III, while working as CDPO, ICDS Project, Pargi, Rangareddy District. She is responsible for allowing a minor / unmarried girl i.e., daughter of the Sarpanch of Jakkalapalli village is the president of the Mother's Committee and also allowed the son of the said village Sarpanch for executing the construction work. Hence, the charged.

<u>Article No.6</u>: That Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Project pargi and present CDPO, ICDS Project Hyderabad (U) III, while working as CDPO, ICDS, Pargi, Rangareddy District, she is responsible for not remitting the seigniorage fee to Government exchanger in respect of Civil works executed in ICDS Project, Pargi, Rangareddy District and showed negligence for proper monitoring. Hence, the charged.

- 2. The charged officer has submitted her written statement of self defence, denying the charges framed against her. Out of the 6 delinquent officers against whom charges were framed by the Director, Women Development and Child Welfare, Smt B.Udaya Lakshmi, Project Director and Smt N.Durgabai, CDPO were retired from Government Service on attaining the age of superannuation. Therefore, the Director, Women Development and Child Welfare has referred the case to Government, for concluding the disciplinary proceedings initiate against them. Accordingly, after following due procedure, the case was entrusted to Commissioner of Inquires i.e. Sri Linga Raj Panigrahi, I.A.S., for departmental inquiry and in modification orders issued in G.O. 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, Sri Alok Srivastava, IPS [Retd.], Commissioner of Inquiries, was appointed as Inquiring Authority in place of Sri Lingaraj Panigrahi, I.A.S., Commissioner of Inquiries, for conducting departmental inquiry into the charges framed against them vide reference 3<sup>rd</sup> above.
- 3. In the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the Inquiring Authority, has submitted Inquiry Report and held that all the six charges framed against the charged officer were not proved.
- 4. Government have examined the enquiry report and accepted the findings of the inquiry Authority and decided to drop further action against Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Pargi, Rangareddy District. Accordingly, Government hereby drop further action against Smt M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Pargi, Rangareddy District in the case.

5. The Director, Women Development and Child Welfare, Telangana State, Hyderabad, shall take necessary further action accordingly in the matter and acknowledge the receipt of the order.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

M. JAGADEESHWAR, SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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Smt. M. Bhramaraveni, former CDPO, ICDS Project Pargi, Rangareddy District <a href="mailto:through">through</a> the Director, Women Development & Child Welfare, Telangana State, Hyderabad.

The Director, WD & CW, Telangana State, Hyderabad.

The Accountant General (A&E), Telangana State, Hyderabad.

The Vigilance Commissioner, Telangana Vigilance Commission, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

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